New Advances in the Management of Common Emergency Department Problems
Emergency Medicine Update:
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February 27-March 1, 2003
Pre-Conference Workshops February 26

Stoweflake Resort & Conference Center
STOWE, VERMONT
This event will discuss a variety of timely, practical issues that are encountered on a daily basis. Lectures will be engaging, sometimes controversial, and present the audience with examples of both successes and failures in emergency medicine. Changes don't always equal advancements and advancement doesn't always mean change. At the end of this program, participants will be able to distinguish between advancement and change in the emergency department in a relaxed, family-oriented environment where learning does equal fun!

This program has been designed to include all professionals of emergency medicine including physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, trauma nurses, residents, and emergency medicine technicians.

Registration & Cancellation

Tuition: $395 (USD) Physicians; $175 Physicians-in-Training, and $255 Nurses, PAs and other Emergency Medicine professionals. Fee includes course materials, continental breakfast each morning, afternoon refreshments, ski race, and Thursday evening dinner.

Refunds: Refunds, minus an administrative fee of $50, will be made only if notice of cancellation is received, in writing, by February 7, 2003. No refunds are possible after that date.

General Information

Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Stoweflake Resort & Conference Center in Stowe, Vermont. We recommend that you book early as this is a busy vacation time and accommodations are limited. Available room rates for this program are $189.00 for a deluxe room; $239.00 for luxury guestrooms, and two bedroom condominiums are available for $370.00 per night. Reservations must be made directly with the resort by calling 800-253-2232 or 802-253-7355. Rooms cannot be guaranteed after February 1, 2003 so call early to reserve your room! Other area information is available online at http://www.gostowe.com.
Guest Faculty

Michael Carus, MD, FACEP
Immediate Past-President
American College of Emergency Physicians

Paul Kozarski, MD
Professor of Medicine
Director, Dermatology Unit
University of Vermont College of Medicine

David Nelson, MD
Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Pediatrics
University of Nevada, School of Medicine
Director of Education, Pediatric Emergency Services
University Medical Center of Southern Nevada

Josh Schwartzberg, DO
Clinical Assistant Professor of Family Medicine
SUNY Upstate Medical Center
ED Physician, Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital, Plattsburgh, NY

Joseph Winger, MD, FACEP
Assistant Professor of Medicine
Division of Cardiology
University of Vermont College of Medicine

David Clauss, MD, FACEP
Associate Professor of Surgery

Hamid Ehsani, MD
Clinical Assistant Professor of Surgery

Maj Eisinger, MD
Associate Professor of Surgery

Steven Hulsey, MD
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Wendy James, RN
Interim Nurse Manager

Marie Tribble, MD, FACEP
Assistant Professor of Surgery

Ruth Uphold, MD, FACEP
Professor of Surgery
Chief, Emergency Services

Peter Weimersheimer, MD
Assistant Professor of Surgery

University of Vermont & Fletcher Allen Health Care
Department of Emergency Services
Faculty
**Pre-Conference Workshops**

**Wednesday, February 26, 2003**

3:00 pm  Pre-Conference Registration

4:00 - 6:00  CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS

A:  Suturing Techniques  
Philip Trabulsy, MD  
Orthopaedics & Rehabilitation Services  
Fletcher Allen Health Care

B:  Splinting Techniques  
Jacqueline Goss, PA-C  
Emergency Services  
Fletcher Allen Health Care

6:00  Adjourn

**Conference Schedule**

**Thursday, February 27, 2003**

**Morning Session**

7:00 am  Registration & Continental Breakfast

7:30  Best Articles of 2002  
Ruth Uphold, MD

8:15  Update on Cardiovascular Therapeutics  
Joseph Winget, MD

9:00  Airway Management  
Hamid Ehsani, MD

9:45  Adjourn

**Afternoon Session**

3:30 pm  Refreshments

4:00  GI Emergencies  
Peter Weimersheimer, MD

4:45  Abdominal Pain  
Stephen Leffler, MD

5:30  The Pregnant Trauma Patient  
Maj Eisinger, MD

6:15  Adjourn

6:30 pm  Welcome dinner for participants, speakers & families
Friday, February 29, 2003

Morning Session
7:00 am  Continental Breakfast
7:30  Domestic Violence in the ER: The Ethical Dilemma
      Wendy James, MD
8:15  Pediatric Surgical Emergencies
      David Nelson MD
9:00  Palm Software Applications in the ED
      Josh Schwartzberg, DO
9:45  Adjourn
1:50 pm  Participant & Faculty Ski Race

Afternoon Session
3:30 pm  Refreshments
4:00  The Toxin-Mediated Erythemas
      Paul Krusinski, MD
4:45  Ophthalmology in the ED: Management of the Red Eye
      Mario Trabouly, MD
5:30  KEYNOTE SPEAKER
      Michael Carius, MD, FACEP
      Immediate Past-President American College of Emerg Medicine
6:15  Adjourn
6:30  VT ACEP Chapter Member Meeting & Dinner

Saturday, March 1, 2003

Morning Session
7:00 am  Continental Breakfast
7:30  The Patient with Medically Unexplained Symptoms: New Understanding, New Approaches
      David Clauss, MD
8:15  Mental Status Change
      Steven Hulsey, MD
9:00  Emerging Infectious Diseases in the ED
      Keith Collins, MD
9:45  ED Crowding: Strategies to Manage the Masses
      Ray Keller, MD and Tara Pacy, RN
10:30  Adjourn
Leisure Activities
This course is designed so that participants are free from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM for skiing and other winter recreation. The Stoweflake offers fully equipped facilities including two restaurants, a full service spa and boutique, and a fitness center equipped with the latest strength training equipment. Horse drawn sleigh rides are also available on property, weather permitting.

Stowe exudes breathtaking beauty in the winter. World class skiing is available, at discount rates, by completing the appropriate section on the registration form. For those who seek alternatives to skiing, the village of Stowe offers many small, unique boutiques. Snowmobile rentals, Nordic skiing and skating are also available in the area. Call the Stowe Area Association at (802) 253-7321 for information.

Special Features
- Thursday evening networking dinner for all participants, speakers, and families.
- Friday afternoon, we will host a "for fun" NASTAR ski race for all ages and abilities.

Transportation
By Car - Take Exit 10 (Stowe/Waterbury exit) on I89. Follow Route 100 North to the village of Stowe (approximately 10 miles). At the intersection, turn left onto Route 108 (Mountain Road). The hotel will be located 1 ½ miles further on the right hand side.

By Air - Direct flights to Burlington International Airport at Burlington, Vermont (only 45 minutes to Stowe).

Accreditation
The University of Vermont College of Medicine is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. The University of Vermont College of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 12.25 hours of Category 1 credit toward the AMA Physician’s Recognition Award. An additional 2 hours of Category 1 credit is available to those completing the pre-conference workshop on Wednesday. Each physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spent in the activity. This program has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 12.25 prescribed credit hours by the American College of Emergency Physicians. This program has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 12.25 prescribed credit hours by the American Academy of Family Physicians. An additional 2 credit hours is also available for the pre-conference workshops by both ACEP and AAFP. This program has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 14.7 Nursing CEUs* with an additional 2.4 available for the pre-conference workshops.

*The University of Vermont, Office of Continuing Medical Education, is an approved Provider of Continuing Education in Nursing by Vermont State Nurses Association, Inc., which is accredited as an approver of continuing education in nursing by the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners’ Commission on Accreditation.
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REGISTRATION FORM

Name: ____________________________________ Degree: _______

Address: ________________________________________________

City: _______________________ State: _______ Zip:_____________

Phone: (        ) ________________   Fax: (        ) ________________

Email: ___________________________________________________

Initials Last 4 digits of your SSN#

(for CME Tracking Purposes Only)

TUITION

Registrations postmarked on or before February 7, 2003:

- $395 Physicians
- $255 PA, Nurse, EMT, etc.
- $175 Residents*
- $150 One-Day Rate

* Verification by Program Director Required.

Late Fee: After February 7, 2003 Add: $50.00

# Attending Thursday Dinner (families welcome)

Additional Pre-conference Workshops (with full course)

- $75 Suturing
- $75 Splinting

Additional Pre-conference Workshops ONLY

- $150 Suturing
- $150 Splinting

PRE-ORDER DISCOUNT SKI PASSES NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 7:

- $116.00 for each adult 3-day ski pass (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)
- $76.00 for each junior 3-day ski pass (Thursday, Friday, Saturday)
- $80.00 for each adult 2-day ski pass (Thursday/Friday)
- $53.00 for each junior 2-day ski pass

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE

PAYMENT METHOD

- Check (payable to The University of Vermont)
- Visa
- Master Card
- American Express

* Credit card #______________________________ exp.___________

Signature: _______________________________________________

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